



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	<i>Application No.</i>	09/741,881
	<i>Filing Date</i>	22 December 2000
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	<i>Group Art Unit</i>	1641
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	<i>Attorney Docket No.</i>	2316-143
<i>Title of the Invention:</i> RAPID PARTICLE DETECTION		

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 2, 2002, please amend the application as follows.

In the Abstract of the Disclosure:

Add the Abstract attached hereto on a separate sheet as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.72.

In the Specification:

1.) First, replace the specification of record with the accompanying substitute specification with numbered paragraphs under 37 C.F.R. § 1.125(b)(2). No new matter has been added. Note that merely numbering the paragraphs of the specification of record is not considered a change that must be shown under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.125(b)(2).

2.) Then, replace paragraph [0091] of the accompanying *substitute* specification with the following replacement paragraph [0091].

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